



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 5168-70

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Shigefumi Wada et al. ) Group Art Unit: To be Assigned  
Application No.: 10/560,530 ) Examiner: To be Assigned  
Filed: December 13, 2005 )  
For: Basic Work Processing System ) Confirmation No.: To be Assigned

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application  
as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment section of this paper.